

The Hondo Anvil Herald.

NO TOWN EVER GREW
on Trade That Went
Elsewhere.
Are you a town builder?

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HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, OCTOBER 14, 1938.

WATCH THE ADDRESS
on your paper and let us
have
Your Prompt Renewal

THE ANVIL EST'D 1886
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CONSOLIDATED
OCT. 17, 1903.

Here in HONDO
LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Let
Us send
In your renewal
Subscriptions to your papers;
Our commission on most of them
Will pay for Farming for you and
we both profit.

The new ZENITH RADIO only
\$16.95 at FLY DRUG CO.
Mrs. Ione Crouch spent the week-
end in Eagle Pass and Laredo.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Rath were
visitors in San Antonio Sunday.

All kinds of fountain drinks at
BOTHES CONFECTIONERY. tf.
For furnished rooms phone 127-3
rings or apply at Anvil Herald office
The new Dr. West's MIRACLE
TUFFT TOOTH BRUSH at Fly Drug
Co.

Pictures framed and mirrors re-
shipped. —SPEECE WOODCRAFT
SHOP.

Note paper and Covers, all School
Supplies at WINDROW DRUG
STORE.

A. F. Vollmering was down from
Tarpley Tuesday and joined our band
of readers.

FOR RENT—150 acres in cultiva-
tion 5 miles South of Hondo. Apply
to this office.

Special one cent sale on Pepsodent
Antiseptic; TWO 50c size bottles for
5c at Fly Drug Co.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W.
Speece, at residence opposite north-
west corner of courthouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancy King of San
Antonio visited his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. V. P. King, last week-end.

For Drug Store needs go to WIN-
DROW DRUG STORE, having served
Medina County over 40 years. tf.

Ferguson rust-proof auto, free of
Johnson grass. See Frank H.
Bader, Dunlap, phone 982-F21. 4tpd.

Mrs. Murry Stephenson of Cotulla
visited her sister, Mrs. George R.
Carle, and other relatives here this
week.

FOR SALE—Complete equipment
for 2-chair barber shop, excellent
condition. Inquire Anvil Herald, Hon-
do, Texas. 1tc.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman and
daughter, Patsy Lou, spent Sunday
in Lockhart as guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Arthur Wiede.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stiegler and
Mrs. Alfred Brucks attended the
funeral of the late Mrs. Peter Bless
at San Antonio Monday.

FOR SALE—reasonable, 2 good
young cows, also heifers, or will
trade for heavy young brood mares.
H. C. DEASON, D'Hanis, Tex-
as. 2tpd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. W. Tschirhart
and little daughter, Eddell, were
down from Riomedina Saturday and
while here were visitors at the print-
shop.

Mrs. Una English and sons of San
Antonio were the week-end guests
of Mrs. English's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. C. R. Gaines, and other relatives
here.

Miss Evelyn Barnes, who is attend-
ing Draughton's Business College in
San Antonio, spent the week-end
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C.
Barnes.

Miss Margaret Short of Bandere
accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Howard
Short and children and Mr. and Mrs.
D. W. Short to Hondo Friday for the
football game.

FOR SALE—A good sewingma-
chine, also farm implements; and my
100-acre farm. Call on Mrs. E. P. In-
gram at the home of Mrs. W. P.
Laughinghouse. 1tc.

Will have FOR RENT, on October
20th, a five-room house located on
three lots. Garage; lights, water and
gas. Apply at Anvil Herald office or
phone 127-3 rings. 1tc.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Chancy re-
turned Sunday from College Station
where they had spent two weeks with
their son-in-law and daughter, Mr.
and Mrs. Jack Rollins.

Mr. C. W. Gilliam went to San An-
tonio Saturday and was accompanied
home by Mrs. Gilliam who had been
under medical treatment in a con-
valescent home in that city.

Please remember, we can go any-
where when our services are desired
—day or night. Just ring Phone 75,
and we will attend to everything.—
JNO. A. HORGES, Funeral Director

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN
ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU,
OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?
For Every Form of Insurance
See O. H. MILLER, HONDO, Texas,
Since 1907.

LUTHERAN LADIES WILL
HAVE BAZAAR AND DINNER IN
NESTER BUILDING, NEXT TO
REYEN TAILOR SHOP, THURS-
DAY, OCTOBER 20th. PRICE 35c
STRAIGHT. 2tc.

DR. M. S. DERANKOU, OPTOME-
TRIST, AUTHORIZES US TO AN-
NOUNCE THAT HE WILL BE
BACK IN HONDO, THURSDAY,
OCTOBER 20, AND WILL BE AT
HIS OFFICE AS USUAL, EVERY
THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SAT-
URDAY, THEREAFTER.

ELLIS-FINGER.

Miss Mary Emma Finger, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger of Hon-
do, became the bride of Lieutenant
Gale Ellis of Beaver Falls, Pennsy-
lvania, in a simple ceremony Satur-
day evening, October 8, at 5 o'clock
in the rectory of St. Patrick's Catho-
lic Church of San Antonio. The
bride's former pastor, Rev. T. A.
Flynn, performed the ceremony. At-
tendants were Miss Frances Finger,
sister of the bride, and Lieutenant
Coy Curtis of Fort Sam Houston. The
bride was given in marriage by
her father.

The ceremony was performed be-
fore an improvised altar, a semi-circle
being formed by gold floor standards
holding white cathedral tapers and
flower baskets of white pompon chrys-
anthemums. The mantel, with its
adornment of gold vases holding
white blossoms and white tapers in
gold candelabra, completed the back-
ground.

The bride wore a smart costume
suit of cinnamon wool, the jacket be-
ing luxuriously trimmed with red fox.
Matching accessories were worn and
her flowers were a corsage of white
gardenias. Miss Frances Finger's suit
was of green wool trimmed with red
fox. Her hat was green and other ac-
cessories copper. A corsage of flame
gladioluses was also worn.

An informal reception followed the
ceremony. The table, laid with a
white cloth, was adorned with a
crystal bowl of white chrysanthem-
ums and white tapers burning in
crystal holders. The ring-shaped wed-
ding cake was iced in white and em-
bossed with pink sugar-clay roses.
Miss Mary Lou Weyman served the
cake. Miss Jane Strain presided over
the coffee service, and assisted in
serving sandwiches were Misses Ann
Strain and Virginia Swett.

Lt. and Mrs. Ellis went on a short
trip and on Monday left by auto for
his home in Beaver Falls, Pa., and for
New York City. About November 1st
they will be at home at Lt. Ellis' new
station at Langley Field, Virginia.

The bride is a graduate of Hondo
High School and last May received
her degree in music from Incarnate
Word College. She is one of Hondo's
most popular and talented young
ladies. Lt. Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Howard Ellis of Beaver Falls, Pa.,
is a graduate of West Point Military
Academy of New York, and on Octo-
ber 5th received his "wings" from the
Advanced Flying School at Kelly
in San Antonio.

Among those attending the wed-
ding were Mrs. Howard Ellis of
Beaver Falls, Pa., and Mrs. J. M.
Finger and children, Mr. and Mrs.
Herman Finger, Mrs. V. H. Boon, Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Finger and son,
Henry Martin, of Hondo, Mr. and
Mrs. W. O. Rothe of D'Hanis, Mr.
and Mrs. John Finger Jr. and Jerome
Finger of Laredo.

SERVICE OFFICER WILL BE HERE TO ASSIST WAR VETERANS.

Mr. A. O. Willman, Field Repre-
sentative of the Veterans State Ser-
vice Office, will be in Hondo, Texas,
to assist war veterans and their de-
pendents who have problems in con-
nection with their claims growing out
of war service. Mr. A. O. Willman
has visited here several times within
the past twelve months and each time
he has been able to assist some vet-
eran and some veteran's dependent
in securing Government benefits
they are entitled to receive. This
time Mr. A. O. Willman is very an-
xious to see as many war widows and
Gold Star mothers as possible, since
recent legislation liberalized laws
pertaining to widows and Gold Star
mothers.

The services of the Veterans State
Service Office are directed by Mr.
George C. Betts, whose headquarters
are located in the Land Office Build-
ing, Austin, Texas. All persons de-
siring to see Mr. A. O. Willman,
Field Representative for this district,
while he is in Hondo, Texas, may
contact him on October 18, 1938, at
the Courthouse.

SECO P. T. A.

The regular meeting of the Seco
P. T. A. was held last Friday night,
October 7th. A full evening's enter-
tainment was provided by the stu-
dents. The program included such
numbers as a dialogue by two mem-
bers of the first grade; "Posing For
a Picture", which included the mem-
bers of the third grade; and "Adopt-
ing a Child", whose cast was made
up of fourth and fifth grade students;
a piano duet followed by the high
school play which was titled "A Joke
on the Jokers".

The business meeting was followed
by serving of delicious refreshments
by the two hostesses, Mrs. Ralph
Colvin and Mrs. Eric Rothe.

TO THE PEOPLE OF HONDO AND VICINITY.

We have enlarged and refinished
our barber shop and now have as well
appointed place as can be found any-
where. These improvements were
made possible by your patronage in
the past and are our way of showing
our appreciation of that patronage.
It is our purpose to give you the best
possible service and we solicit the
continued patronage of our old
friends and invite one and all to call
on us.

LAAKE'S BARBER SHOP.

GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM
RUGS. LEINWEBER'S.

Owls Defeated in Last Few Minutes of Play

From THE OWL

The Hondo Owls again tasted de-
feat last Friday night on Barry Field,
when the Del Rio Wildcats came back
in the second half to win with a score
of 12-10. The Owls had the Wild-
cats with a score of 10-0 at the half,
with a touchdown, extra point, and
also a field goal by Bader, but they
were unable to hold this lead.

The first quarter started with
Bader kicking off for Hondo, the ball
going to Hill of the Wildcats, who re-
turned the ball to Del Rio's 33 yard
line. Two smashes thru the center of
the line gave the Wildcats their first
down. Their next three plays were to
no avail and McBee kicked to Finger,
who fumbled the ball. Kollman re-
covered the ball on Hondo's 15 yard
line. Two off-tackle plays failed to
click and Leinweber kicked to the Del
Rio 48 yard line. On the Wildcats
first play Stricklen smashed off left
tackle but was stopped by Bader on
Hondo's 45 yard line. Two more plays
failed to bring additional yardage to
the Wildcats and McBee kicked to
Hondo's 25 yard line. On the first
play, Hondo in possession of the ball,
Leinweber quick kicked from Hondo's
25 yard line to the Del Rio 25 yard
line, the ball being fumbled by Del
Rio and Hondo recovered with the
ball on the Wildcat's 15 yard line. On
their first down the Owls were set
back to the Del Rio 24 yard line. A
lateral pass from Grell to Finger
brought the Owls up only two yards.
Next a pass was thrown to Finger
by Grell, Finger advancing the ball
to Del Rio's 9 yard line. On the
fourth down Kollman smashed thru
center to the Del Rio 3 yard line for
a first down. The first two plays were
stopped, but on the third down Lein-
weber went off right tackle to the
Del Rio 1 foot line. On the next play
Kollman went thru center for a
touchdown. Bader's attempt for extra
point proved well to its mark, mak-
ing the score 7-0 in favor of the
Owls. Bader kicked off to Hill, who
returned the ball to Del Rio's 32 yard
line. The Wildcats' next plays brought
no yardage, being stopped by Bader
and Schuehle and McBee quick kicked
to Hondo's 40 yard line where it
hit and bounced to the 50 yard line.
On the first down a pass was at-
tempted but was incomplete. The next
down Grell passed a lateral to Finger
who carried the ball to Del Rio's
14 yard line. This marked the end of
the first quarter, the ball being in
possession of the Owls with a first
down coming up.

At the beginning of the second
quarter Charles Finger carried the
ball to the Wildcats' 5 yard line in
two plays. The next play Kollman
smashed thru, taking the ball to the
1 foot line for a first down. On the
first down Hondo was penalized to
the five yard line; Kollman went thru
center to the 4 yard line; the Owls
were then set back to the nine yard
line; Grell threw a lateral to Finger,
who advanced to the seven yard line;
on the fourth down Bader kicked a
field goal, scoring three more points
for the Owls. Bader kicked off for
Hondo, sending the ball to the Del
Rio 10 yard line, where McNutt
received it and ran to the Del Rio 41
yard line. Stricklen smashed off left
guard to the Del Rio 45 yard line,
where he was stopped by Jennings.
Next McNutt passed, but it was in-
tercepted by George X. Rucker, the
Hondo center, on Hondo's 48 yard
line. With a spread formation, Grell
passed to Kollman who ran the ball
to the Del Rio 32 yard line for a first
down. The Owls failed to gain yard-
age in their next downs and Lein-
weber kicked over the goal line, the
ball being brought back to the 20
yard line. With a series of off-tackle
plays and end runs the Wildcats made
four first downs, advancing the ball
to Hondo's 30 yard line. McNutt
went off left tackle, fumbled the
ball, which was recovered by Koll-
man as the pistol sounded, ending
the first half.

The Del Rio Wildcats kicked off to
the Owls, the ball being carried to
the Hondo 30 yard line by Kollman.
A pass failed to work and Leinweber
got off one of his quick kicks, the
ball being brought back to the Wild-
cats' 41 yard line, where McNutt was
stopped by G. H. Finger. Del Rio
marched up the field, getting four
first downs, which put them on the
Hondo 6 yard line. Two off center
plays were executed by the Wildcats,
advancing them to the Owls' 2 yard

line. Stricklen then went thru to
Hondo's 1 foot line and the remain-
ing distance was made by McBee for
a touchdown. Stricklen tried for the
extra point by smashing thru center,
but the Hondo line held fast. The
score now stands 10-6, favor of the
Owls. Del Rio kicked off to the Owls.
On the second down Grell completed
a pass to Finger, putting the ball on
Del Rio's 32 yard line and bringing
a first down for the Owls. The next
four plays failed to click and Del Rio
took possession of the ball on their
36 yard line. Three plays brought a
first down to the Wildcats on Hon-
do's 47 yard line.

Going into the final and fatal
quarter the Wildcats tried three
plays that failed to work and McBee
kicked to Hondo's 6 yard line. Lein-
weber kicked back to Del Rio's 47
yard line, the ball being returned to
the Hondo 45 yard line. Hondo was
then penalized back to the Hondo
20 yard line. Within three downs Del
Rio had advanced the ball to Hondo's
10 yard line for a first down. After
two more plays Hondo was again
penalized to their 1 yard line. On the
next play Stricklen went thru center
for the winning touchdown. The trial
for extra point was void, the score
now reading 12-10, favor of the Del
Rio Wildcats. Del Rio kicked off to
Hondo, the ball being brought back
to the Hondo 39 yard line. With the
spread formation Grell passed to G.
H. Finger on Hondo's 47 yard line.
Grell next tried a long pass to
Charles Finger, but it was incom-
plete. Del Rio was then penalized
15 yards and on the first down Grell
threw a lateral to Finger on Hondo's
32 yard line. The next two plays
were to no avail and on the fourth
down Grell passed to Finger, but the
ball was intercepted by Stricklen of
the Wildcat squad, who advanced it
to Hondo's 24 yard line. Grell tried
to pass but fumbled the ball and it
was recovered by the Wildcats on the
Hondo six yard line. The Owls held
the Wildcats for their four downs,
thus preventing another touchdown
for them. With Hondo in possession
of the ball Leinweber kicked from
the four yard line to the Hondo 40
yard line as the pistol sounded, end-
ing the game with the score 12-10 in
favor of the Del Rio Wildcats.

NOTICE BOY SCOUTS.

The Local Boy Scout Troop meets
each week on Tuesday evening from
7 to 8:15. Occasionally the meeting
may last a little longer. For the pres-
ent, meetings are being held in the
Fire Hall. Boys who are twelve are
eligible for membership. Boys who
will be twelve in the next two or
three months may begin visiting now
and passing the tenderfoot tests.

W. S. HIGSMITH,
Scout Master.

V. H. BLOCKER GIVEN NEW CONSULAR POST.

V. H. Harwood Blocker Jr. of Hondo,
who has been vice consul at Mar-
tinique, French West Indies, has
been appointed vice consul at Mexico
City, according to reports received
here.

V. H. has also held diplomatic
posts in Asuncion, Paraguay, in
South America; Casablanca, French
Morocco; and Belize, British Hon-
duras.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

English services Sunday, October
16, beginning at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday
school at 9:00.

Among ten of God's laws that were
meant to endure for all time, the one
regarding the sabbath stands third.

... everything we saw was in kaleido-
scopic effect. It was like peering
through DR. W. H. SMITH'S binocu-
lars with one lens developing a pic-
ture, but we remember—HARRY

KOLLMAN'S wide grin when son
HARRY JR. made Hondo's touch-
down... MRS. FELIX HOLLMIG,
a smart dress shop... and PAPA
HOLLMIG, with hands deep in his
pockets, hat pulled down and pipe
out doing a smoke stack in a factory
town... J. G. BARRY'S moanin',
"I'm doing some plain and fancy
worrying"... J. GINGER TONDRE's
precisely perched but definitely
beaming black hat... CLARENCE
FOHN being solicitous over the
bride-to-be, MRS. HAGAN, of San
Antonio... STANLEY MUMME's
white straw hat in a sea of felt snap-
brims... the foursome, CHANCEY
KING and the Missis, INA KING and
BILL GAUDIAN... with INA in
a green-and-white checked weskit...
GEORGE RUCKER intercepting a
Del Rio pass... De Rio's impressive
bunch of fans... the way NONNIE
JENNINGS picked up that Del Rio
cat by the scruff of the neck... the
funny pictures Reporter HOLMES
of Del Rio drew of the game.

Lights were bright, but brows
were black when that last half rolled
around... and we were primed to
turn our "deaf" ear to the epithets
and vituperation threatening with
the thunderheads when the game
ended... Hondo fans turned out to
be good sports in spite of appear-
ances and senile mumbings in the
beards... and in the beers, post-
bellum, we are told.

But today's another day... and to-
night's another game... come armed
with sleeping tablets... but come.
(Note to censor—We are not natu-
rally profane... the "damn" was mer-
ely for alliterative purposes.)

Things moved fast and furiously

Did we say "excitement"? We
must have been in a belittlin' mood.
That Del Rio-Hondo game was ado, a
din and a darn near riot. Last Fri-
day night went a far way in develop-
ing a new crop of finger-nail biters,
dyspeptics and sheep-over-the-fence
counters.

UNDER THE FLOODLIGHTS

Probable starting line-ups are:

Hondo	Pos.	Burbank
No. Name		Name No.
54 Schuehle	L. E.	Bolton 23
64 Morris	L. T.	Woods 42
58 Moehring	L. G.	Butler 40
68 Rucker	C.	Clemens 28
60 Jennings	R. G.	L. Bickle 21
71 Bader	R. T.	Jackson 43
57 W. Weyand	R. E. M.	Smith 31
66 Kollman	Q. B.	Sing 30
63 Grell	H. B.	C. Bickle 24
55 C. Finger	H. B.	Rohmer 35
70 Leinweber	F. B.	Gutierrez 25

MISS GRELL HONORED.

Miss Florence Grell, whose mar-
riage to Clarence Haass will take
place next week, was honored with a
miscellaneous shower at 2:30 o'clock
Sunday afternoon, October 9, in the
parish hall at Quibi. Hostesses were
Mesdames Alfred Boehle, Frank
Boehle and Arnold Balzen, and
Misses Aleen Grell, Lillian Moehring,
Modine Bendele, Nora Karrer and
Sophia Alice Beteit of Austin.

The Hallowe'en motif was carried
out in decorations, with orange zin-
nias in black and orange vases adorn-
ing the hall. The gifts were presented
the honoree in two large pumpkins.

Prior to opening the gifts Mrs.
Herbert Brucks sang, accompanied by
Miss Hertha Weeber at the organ. A
clever toast was given by Miss Della
Mae Grell as follows:
Here's to the dearest, the truest, the
best.

Her place in my heart is above the
rest.
She's pretty, she's smart, she's cute
and sweet.

She's honest—I'm praising her up to
the skies.
But just ask Clarence if I've told you
any lies.

We wish for you, dear, both happi-
ness and health.
This you know is far better than
wealth.

How great it will be to own a real
man.
To do everything for you that he can.
What more can I say to you, lady
fair.

As we bring to you this treasure
chest rare?
It is not like the treasure chests of
old.

Filled with rare jewels, much silver
and gold.
But 'tis filled with real love and
friendship true.

Portrayed by the gifts we bring now
to you.
After the honoree had thanked
the guests for the "shower", refresh-
ments of chicken salad, potato chips,
salad, cake and coffee were served.
Mints were black and orange.

Miss Grell wore a pretty frock of
teal blue and her corsage was of pink
roses.

About 125 guests registered in the
bride's book, which was in charge of
Miss Modine Bendele.

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"WHEN GOOD FELLOWS GET
TOGETHER"

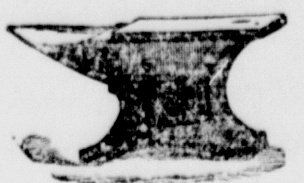
"Three score and ten" is the num-
ber of years allotted to man. It is
an achievement worthy of note
when any man attains his full allot-
ment; but when four brothers, three
of whom have passed four score,
meet together that is indeed a note-
worthy event. Just such an event oc-
curred here this week when our fel-
low townsman, Mr. John C. Merri-
man, received a visit from his three
living brothers. The time was spent
in visiting a number of nieces, neph-
ews, etc., sight-seeing about Hondo
and re-vamping stories of old times
and incidents of their younger days.

The gentlemen, in the order of
their ages, are Eli T. Merriman of
Corpus Christi, in his 87th year;
John C. Merriman of Hondo, in his
85th year; Geo. Merriman of Mus-
kogee, Oklahoma, in his 81st year;
and J. D. (Jefferson Davis) Merri-
man of Laredo, in his 77th year.

The three elder gentlemen began
life as printer's devils, the elder re-
maining in the game to become later
one of the founders of the Corpus
Christi Caller and is now the dean
of the Texas press. He says he tried
to keep the other two boys in the
business but the lure of the great
outdoors was too much for them and
they became doggie punchers and
made several trips up the trail. J. C.
got back from all of these trips, even
if he did have to come down the
Missouri river to St. Louis, then
down the Mississippi to New Orleans,
and thence by Morgan steamer to
Galveston. But George got married
in Oklahoma and hasn't gotten back
home (to Texas) to stay since. The
77-year-old baby of the quartet, J.
D., was for 54 years railroad auditor
on the Laredo & Rio Grande Rail-
road, retiring a few years ago. The
reminiscences of these old men would
fill several volumes, and unfold an
interesting panorama of a changing
manner of life.

An incident of their reunion which
emphasizes the above statement oc-
curred at the Leinweber Company
store when their nephew, Henry Merri-
man, produced an original letter
written by their father, Dr. Eli Todd
Merriman, Sr., to his father, Titus
Merriman, of Bristol, Connecticut.
The letter was dated at Houston,
Texas, December 2, 1838, nearly 100
years ago, while Texas was a republic
and less than three years after the
fall of the Alamo and before the war
with Mexico had been fought. The
letter describes incidents of a trip
made by buggy and team from
Houston to Bastrop and return, and
informs the gentleman's father that
he is leaving Houston for Bastrop to
locate for the practice of medicine.
The Merrimans immigrated from
England to the New England colonies
before the Revolutionary War. Like
all early settlers of that section,
members of the family spread west-
ward, and elder brothers of these
gentlemen fought on both sides in
the Civil War of the '60's.

The occasion which brought the
brothers together at this time was a
trip to Mexico City by Mr. and Mrs.
Geo. Merriman Jr., and their friends,
Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Muskogee.
The elder Geo. came with them to La-
redo, here he and J. D. were joined
by Eli T. of Corpus and the three
motored to Hondo to see John C.
They are all four healthy, active men
and are getting a full measure of en-
joyment out of life.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

PAPER & MAGIC

By Clayton Rand

* From the Silver Lining I pass on
* this classic: "No magician with
* his magic wand, mystic words or
* mysterious passes can achieve
* the miracles that can be worked
* with simple pieces of paper. Ad-
* vertising printed on pieces of pa-
* per influence people to buy and
* thus make factory wheels turn
* and give work to millions.
* "On a piece of paper may be
* drawn the plans for a towering
* sky-scraper, a bridge to span a
* mighty river, a cottage or a
* cathedral. On a piece of paper
* a poet may write inspiring
* words... Or a composer may
* write on it immortal music. Or
* it may be made into a check to
* convey a fortune halfway around
* the world. Or it may be used to
* record notes and formulas which
* will revolutionize science.
* "Paper is mankind's silent part-
* ner. It plays a vital part in al-
* most every waking moment of
* his life. Paper is "a magic car-
* pet, an Aladdin's lamp and a
* fairy scepter all rolled into one."
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"WHEN GOOD FELLOWS GET TOGETHER"

"Three score and ten" is the num-
ber of years allotted to man. It is
an achievement worthy of note
when any man attains his full allot-
ment; but when four brothers, three
of whom have passed four score,
meet together that is indeed a note-
worthy event. Just such an event oc-
curred here this week when our fel-
low townsman, Mr. John C. Merri-
man, received a visit from his three
living brothers. The time was spent
in visiting a number of nieces, neph-
ews, etc., sight-seeing about Hondo
and re-vamping stories of old times
and incidents of their younger days.

The gentlemen, in the order of
their

HERITAGE

By Dorothy Quick.

This is the earth made fertile by our bones,
The rich and bitter heritage of soil.
The untilled fields, the hard unyielding stones,
That generations conquered with their toil.

The last line stood on the highest hill
And looked upon the acres now his own.
He saw the fields, where by his forebears will,
The undulating waves of wheat had grown.

And all around him like shadows stand
The ancestors who made his heritage,
Whose sweat and dreams produced the fertile land
Hoping to have his praises for their wage.

The last of line looked down upon these fields
Saw the white farmhouse and the stacks of hay.
"A lot of work," he said, "for little yield
I think I'll sell the place and move away."

Old Eben Hartwright, who was given the grant
Of twenty acres from the King, spoke first.
"Oh, God, was it for this I lived so scant?
For this that I went hungry and a-thirst?"

Those days were bitter when I first came here
This was a land unconquered and untitled.
Down in the farthest field are graves most dear.
Yet I kept working as the good God willed.

Then Eben second took his father's place.
"Those WERE hard days. My memory has revived
The painted horror of an Indian's face—
Famine and cold to fight! Yet I survived."

All of the shadows spoke. They told a tale
Of hardships overcome, of battles fought,
And with the pride of the possessive male
Each talked of added acres they had bought.

How they had slaved to make the Hartwright name
Admired and respected through the land,
Until the years increased the Hartwright fame,
They prayed the last of line to understand.

"This is the Hartwright land. Our gift to you.
In it our lives, our bones,—and now it seems
But you are left. Flesh of our flesh keep true,
Keep faith with us. Do not betray our dreams."

They silenced as they watched the last of line
Who ran slim, nervous fingers through his hair.
At last he spoke. "These spreading fields are mine
And suddenly I realize that I care."

I thought it didn't matter, I could sell
The Hartwright farm; yet now while standing here
I felt an undefined emotion swell
Within my heart. To me this land is dear.

The reason is beyond my power to know.
I guess I'll keep the old place for a while.
He did not see or hear the shadows go
He did not glimpse the glory of their smile.

This is the earth made fertile by our bones,
The rich and bitter heritage of soil.
The untilled fields, the hard unyielding stones,
That generations conquered with their toil.

BOY SCOUT NOTES.

The Regional Training Institute under the supervision of James P. Fitch, Regional Scout Executive, will be conducted at the Boy Scout Headquarters, 2519 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas, on October 14th, 15th, and 16th. The Institute will open with a dinner meeting on Friday, October 14th, and close Sunday afternoon at 4:30 P. M.

The following Training Courses will be offered:
Elements of Scout Leadership, Parts I and II, directed by Minor Huffman, Deputy Regional Scout Executive.

Principles of Scout Leadership, directed by Harold W. Lewman, Deputy Regional Scout Executive.
Cubmaster Training, directed by Chas. F. Smith, Assistant Director of Training, National Council Boy Scouts of America.

Council Financing, directed by Charles N. Miller, Assistant Director, Division of Operations, National Council Boy Scouts of America.

This Institute is primarily for men who will be used as Instructor in Council Training Courses in their respective Councils. A large delegation of Scouters from the Alamo Area Council is expected to participate.

Scouting—

The Alamo Area Council Boy Scouts of America is rapidly reaching their objectives for the year in membership according to Dr. R. W.

Whiteside, Chairman of Organization and Extension Committee.

At the close of September their Membership was as follows: On January 1, 1938, we had 90 Troops, our objective was 100 by December 31, 1938. We now have 102 registered units. We had 1871 Scouts on the 1st of January. Our records now show that we have 2186. Our objective is 2200. The objective for Cub Scouts for the year was 125 and we now have 6 Cub Packs with 132 Cubs. There are 846 registered Scouters, 26 Cubbers, 4 Negro Troops with 26 Negro Leaders; 7 Senior Units with 62 Senior Scouts. We have reached our membership objectives with the exception of Scouters and Scouts and with the membership campaign now being conducted are certain of reaching all objectives.

Scouting—

Mr. W. N. Saathoff, Chairman of Organization and Extension in the Medina Valley District, announces that there are now five Boy Scout Troops with an enrollment of 67 Scouts as against 1 Troop and 9 Scouts January 1st.

Scouting—

The regular Medina Valley District Court of Honor will be held Thursday, October 20th at LaCoste, 8 P. M. The District Committee will meet immediately following the Court of Honor in order to plan the activities for Medina Valley District.

SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, October 10, 1938.

(Federal-State Market News Serv.)
Hogs, receipts 1,000. Early trading active and prices steady to 10c lower than last week's close. Early top \$8.00 for most good to choice 175 to 250-lbs. butchers. Good to choice 160 to 175-lbs. \$7.75 to \$8.00, 140 to 160-lbs. \$7.25 to \$7.75, and 250 to 300-lbs. mostly \$7.50 to \$8.00. Packing sows largely \$6.25 to \$6.50, few to \$6.75. Pigs scarce, mostly \$6.50 to \$7.00.

Cattle, receipts 900; calves 3,000. Receipts of calves sharply larger than last Monday, and included a liberal proportion of stockers. Early trading on most classes fairly active but slow cleanup on some plain kinds, especially yearlings and calves. Light weight and top quality calves about steady, liberal supply of plain and medium kinds weak to 25c lower. Cows and other classes about steady with late last week.

Steers scarce, truck lot of good 1089-lb. fed offerings cashed at \$7.75. Few plain and medium steers \$6.00 down. Plain and medium grass yearlings mostly \$4.00 to \$6.50, few grass yearlings to \$7.00 and above, odd head of fed kinds to \$8. Some cutter yearlings \$3.50 to \$4.00. Bulk of medium to good slaughter calves \$5.50 to \$6.50, only a few choice lots of quality to sell at \$6.75 and \$7.00. Plain calves ranged down to \$4.50, culls down to \$4.00 and below. Low cutter and cutter cows mostly \$3.00 to \$3.75, very few "shells" below. Plain and medium butcher cows \$3.75 to \$4.25, good kinds around \$4.50, only odd head to \$5.00. Bulls ranged from \$4.00 to \$4.75, good weighty kinds to \$5.00. Stocker calves mostly \$5.50 to \$6.50, few choice steer calves to 7.00 and \$7.25, including two rail loads of steer calves at \$7.25, with heifers out at \$6.25. Plain stocker heifer calves down to \$5.00 and below. Few stocker yearlings \$5.00 to \$6.50, according to quality.

Sheep, receipts 200; goats 100. Early trading slow and weak. Few shorn wethers \$3.00 to \$3.25, others unsold. Shorn Angora goats \$1.85.

BIG WOLF HUNT.

The South Texas Wolf Association will hold its 17th annual Bench Show and Hunt at Charlotte, Texas, November 7 to 10th on the B. K. Nixon Ranch.

This hunt has been the most prominent and largest wolf hunt held in the world—even from its earliest days to this date. At the last meet, thousands were present; and there were over three hundred hound entries.

This association was originated by prominent men of South Texas in 1921—Dr. R. G. Jewell being first president and C. G. Denison, Secretary. The first meet was held at Martinez, Texas, with over fifty dog entries. Today, this hunt has hound entries exceeding three hundred. Its membership roll has grown near the thousand mark. Its members consist of sportsmen all over the United States; with our directorship consisting of men from Kansas, California, and Texas.

The Bench Show is held on opening day; hounds are run on the second, third and fourth. Prizes are awarded the evening of the last day for the hounds scoring the highest points. Entertainment will be furnished day and night. There will be old fiddler's contests and horn blowing contests with music at all times. Everybody is welcome!

All facilities that you could expect to find on any ranch will be furnished. A Chuck Wagon will be the center of attraction with that black coffee and barbecue at any time. Yet, if you wish, you may get breakfast, lunch or dinner on the grounds.

Everything that will make this a pleasant trip for you and the family has been arranged.

The Gauge

"Why do you wear a straw hat for bathing?" someone asked him.

"Well, I can't swim, and when I see my hat floating away I know I'm out of my depth."—Tit-Bits.

Water, remarks a traveler, always appears to be much nearer than it really is. Evidently he has never looked at it from the top of a high diving-board.—Humorist.

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ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

From The Bandera New Era.
Miss Emma Hodges of Hondo, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallace and Frank Hodges of San Antonio visited their mother, Mrs. J. F. Hodges, over the week-end.

Preston Langford was injured last Monday morning while working on the rock crusher. He received a cut on his mouth and his arm was badly bruised. The accident could have been serious than it turned out to be.

Mrs. John Wiemers returned Tuesday from San Antonio, where she had been at the bedside of her sick granddaughter. The baby was removed from the hospital to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, Tuesday.

STATION C. AND VANDERPOOL.

Clyde McBeth made a business trip to Sabinal and Hondo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Carson went to Hondo Monday. Mrs. Carson is having some dental work done there. Mrs. B. T. Carson and Mrs. J. C. Robinson went to Hondo Friday.

MEDINA.

Tom Duderstadt of Hondo was here on business Thursday. Mrs. Pearl Detweiler of Hondo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evans.

From Val Verde County Herald.

O. J. Koehler was reported seriously ill Monday in a San Antonio hospital, where he was taken for treatment several days ago. Mrs. W. A. Koehler and daughter, Mrs. Herzog's daughters, Nita Jean and Alice Ann, left Monday for San Antonio to be with him. Mr. and Mrs. Koehler reside on a ranch in the Brackettville country. Mr. Koehler spent several weeks in Del Rio under treatment at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Greif, 218 East Garfield Avenue.

From The Leakey Leader.

Mrs. Neville Holmes visited relatives at Hondo several days this week.

From The Sabinal Sentinel.

KNIPPA NEWS.

Mr. Joe Bailey underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Hondo Hospital Tuesday night and his condition is quite serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Oefinger of Quihi were guests of Mrs. Oefinger's mother, Mrs. A. P. Smith, last week-end.

From The Pearsall Leader.

FAMILY REUNION.

A family reunion of the descendants of the late Mike Naegelin and Mrs. Josephine Naegelin, pioneers of Southwest Texas, was held at the home of Mrs. Louis Jungman near Devine recently.

Mrs. Naegelin, 86, of Castroville was the honor guest at the dinner at which 75 relatives were present. Among the guests were the five generations of the family, as follows: Mrs. Josephine Naegelin, great-great grandmother, her daughter, Mrs. Louis Jungman, of Devine, great-grandmother; Mrs. Jungman's son, Edwin Jungman, of Pearsall, grandfather; his daughter, Mrs. Wesley Rihn of Pearsall, (mother), and Betty Jean Rihn, daughter of Mrs. Rihn.

Mrs. T. Preston Nixon returned from Hondo Monday where she has been visiting her sister, Miss Bertha Newton.

Gus Rothe of Hondo was a guest over the week-end of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Martin, and Mr. Martin.

From The Uvalde Leader-News.
E. G. Pope from Hondo was here Tuesday on business.

REAGAN WELLS.

Ferd Rock and son, Ferd Jr., and daughter, Miss Ursie Lee, of D'Hanis were visitors here Sunday afternoon.

BARKSDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mask of Hondo were guests of Mrs. Electa Brown Sunday.

From Kerrville Mountain Sun.

CENTER POINT.

Miss Annie Laura Duderstadt spent the week-end with her uncle, George Duderstadt, at Mountain Home.

Week-end guests in the J. S. Thomson home were Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Randle and children, John Edward and Marcella, of Hondo, and Frank Thomson of Kountze.

ADDITIONAL TEACHER AT BUSINESS COLLEGE.

In a recent meeting of the board of directors of the San Antonio Business College Mrs. Roy C. Bates, B. S. (formerly Miss Betty Curlee) was appointed as additional teacher to the faculty of the college.

Mrs. Bates received her Degree from Tennessee Teachers' College and holds a permanent teacher's certificate for all grades in Texas. For many years Mrs. Bates taught in other accredited business colleges and prior to joining the San Antonio Business College was instructor of business subjects in the San Antonio high schools. She welcomes the opportunity to greet her ex-students and friends in her new position at the San Antonio Business College, 128 West Commerce Street, San Antonio, Texas.

Aha!

Woman (learning to drive): "But I don't know what to do!"
Her Husband: "Just imagine I'm driving."—Wall St. Journal.

PLAN HIGHWAY 90 NOV. CELEBRATION.

Marfa, Tex., Sept. 17—Governor-elect W. Lee O'Daniel has been invited to cut the ribbon on November 16th that will then formally open the new pavement between Marfa and Van Horn which completes the last unpaved link between the Pacific and the Atlantic on the Border Highway U. S. 90. Citizens along the new highway have been assured that Governor-elect O'Daniel will accept the invitation, as he will be visiting some of his rancher friends in the Big Bend at this time.

A big celebration has been planned in Marfa for this occasion at which visitors along the route from El Paso to Houston will attend.

The \$10,000 fund of the new highway has been assured to advertise the new all-paved route which follows the border and the gulf and which is the southernmost route from coast-to-coast. Bill boards and folder advertising is being contracted for at once, and the campaign will open immediately.

The new Border Highway is the most direct route from either east or west to the new Big Bend State Park which will soon be a National Park, it is thought. It is also the most direct route to join the Mexico highway. It is the closest route from the east coast to Southern California and also to the Gulf fishing and bathing facilities.

The highway which will open about the middle of October, is being used most of the 75 miles of the strip which separates Marfa and Van Horn now, with only some 25 miles still under construction is passable except during rain since the detours are not bad.

U. S. Highway 90 is a full 34-foot highway, which is of the newer type paving on the new strip now being paved. It is a straight-away and is said by highway officials to be one of the safest roads constructed by the department.

The Border Highway goes through picturesque country including the famous sheep, goat and cattle raising sections. The sites of old Spanish forts, of Indian ruins and of early-day settlements will continue to intrigue the tourists from other states as they drive along this new road. Scenery unexcelled is promised for many miles of the route with markers leading to places of interest just off the highway.

Cities and towns alike are making every effort to offer better accommodations to the tourists who drive the new route which runs through the great open spaces and which leads through the heart of the real "Old West".



"TOPALONG RIDES AGAIN"—showing currently, with William Boyd in the title role, Hopalong Cassidy has his two pals, Windy and Lucky, played by George Hayes and Russell Hayden, to help him ride the rustlers off the range. Others in the cast are William Duncan, Lois Wilde, Betty King and Harry Worth.

"PROFESSOR, BEWARE"—Sunday and Monday, with Harold Lloyd in another of his laugh-fests. The cast includes Phyllis Welch, Raymond Walburn, Lionel Stander and William Frawley. Lloyd is an Egyptologist who finally gets his big chance to join an expedition but never gets there.

"BOYS' TOWN"—the widely acclaimed sociological film, which shows Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney

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TWO STORY TOWN HOUSE.

The 10-room, two story residence in north part of Hondo, built by Olin E. Lacy, situated on five lots and wired for electric lights, piped for city water and gas, also large garage and barn, for sale at reasonable prices and terms. See Hondo Land Co. for further particulars.

FARM FOR SALE.

A 100-acre farm two miles west of Hondo, chocolate and black sandy loam soil 65 acres in cultivation, all fenced and cross-fenced, small rent house and good well. Easy terms at only \$35.00 per acre. See Kimmey or Davis, Managers, HONDO LAND CO.

Sacrifice sale of two lots in the Bless Addition on easy terms if desired. Don't miss this opportunity if you ever want a location for a residence.

Acreage or town lots in the beautiful Barkuloo Addition to Hondo for sale on a low down payment and easy installments. See the Addition and see us for price and terms.

A desirable lot in residence section of Jourdanston, Atascosa County for sale or will exchange for any other of equal value.

head the cast which also has Henry Hull, Leslie Fenton, Gene Reynolds, Edward Norris and Bobs Watson. The film is based on the humanitarian activities of Father Edward Flanagan... in the story of a good man and a thousand amazing youngsters.

A philosopher says, "We are not what we think we are; we are what we think."

So then, if we are not what we think we are we are not what we are if we are what we think, we are what we are if someone else does not do our thinking.

SMALL FARM FOR SALE.

A 79 1/2-acre farm, part of the Breiten homestead, is for sale \$34.25 per acre cash. This is a improved place, seven-room house, good well with windmill, electric system, large barn, two chicken houses, smokehouses, etc. Good tile soil, forty acres in cultivation, balance in pasture. Place is situated on Hondo-Devine road eleven miles southeast of Hondo. For further particulars see or write either member of HONDO LAND CO.

Geo. H. Kimmey, Phone 127; Fletcher Davis, Phone 172.

BRICK RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

Six-room brick residence, substantially built and conveniently arranged, fine well and also city water, conveniently located in southeast part of Hondo on a two-and-one-half block of land. Known as the A. D. Hurt homestead property. Be sold at a reasonable price and easy terms. Inquire of either member of Hondo Land Co., Fletcher Davis, Phone 127; Geo. H. Kimmey, Phone 172.

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Only \$350.00 will buy lot 7 and east half of lot 7 of Block 37, same being 90-feet front of the northeast corner of the block. Formerly known as the Earnest place, and of the prettiest building sites in Hondo. Inquire of either member of Hondo Land Co., phone 122 or 127.

FARM FOR SALE.

The J. H. Berry farm of 156 acres is for sale at \$22.50 per acre. Good field of 140 acres; 16 acres in pasture. Five-room house, small barn and dug well. Seven miles south of Hondo and easy of access. A splendid opportunity for small stock farmer. Apply to

HONDO LAND CO.

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One lot 140 x 50 feet, Burnside Addition, few steps off graded street \$250.

An attractive building site of acre on the north side of town sale reasonable.

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Agents, Fletcher Davis, Phone 127, Geo. H. Kimmey, Hondo, Texas.

ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

Dots—Football player. Billboard words—bill, board, oar, bard, bad, boil, road, load, etc.

Goofygraph—man with ribbon hair; eyebrows different; lens different; hat; cigar in pipe; necktie, flower in lapel.

P objects—parachute, pen, plumage, pole, pompadour, peak, place, property, point, pair.

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WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS . . .

by
James Preston

The opinions here expressed are
Preston's own and not neces-
sarily those of this paper.—M. E.

SCME REPT GIVES WORK- ERS' SHARE FACTS

WASHINGTON (IPS).—Total na-
tional income paid out in the United
States in 1937 amounted to \$69,300-
000, according to a U. S. Depart-
ment of Commerce bulletin.
More than two-thirds of the entire
sum went to workers in wages,
salaries and other compensation.
In addition to the \$45,800,000,000
paid directly to employees, almost
\$20,000,000,000 was paid by Ameri-
can employers for the benefit of
workers in the form of Social Securi-
ty taxes.

—WS—

Both balls and bathing suits are
in the average person to keep
the spring a fur coat is put in
the closet and hung in the closet.
At the same time the bathing suit is tak-
ing from the closet and made ready
for use. That is all quite simple.

It is different with figures.
They would say statistics. But it
is not. Whichever word is used
the result is the same.

Of which means this. About
the time the bathing suit is to be put
away for winter, government and
business figures become available on
the going on during the sum-
mer. It is the same way with the
ball season.

Recently the Labor Department
announced employment figures for
August. (The late announcement is
reflection on the department. No-
body can hurry the collection of
figures private or government fig-
ures.) These August figures showed
employment in non-agricultural
occupations had increased 320,000.
It is far from taking care of the
unemployed. But the trend
is in the right direction at last.

Many economists think this upward
trend has developed none too soon.
The reason that jobs just must be
made. Government spending cannot
continue forever. At the close of
the year the national debt was
\$38.5 billion of dollars. This
year 6.5 billion of the limit Con-
gress has placed on the national debt.
The legislators have enacted a law
limiting a public debt in excess of
\$40 billion. Public opinion is likely
to oppose any increase in that
amount—say to 80 billion as some
people. All of which makes it more
important than ever that voters be
able to know how the candidates they
vote for in November view this
question.

—WS—

The Nobel Peace Prize will be
awarded this year, as usual. The
committee may be perplexed. Certainly,
the outlet they can eliminate the
men of two continents, Europe
and Asia. America, however, has a
candidate—that is, of course, if
judges place a broad interpreta-
tion upon the rules governing the
award.

It is Senator Joseph C. O'Malley
of Wyoming, Chairman of the
National Economic (Monopoly)
Committee. He is trying to clear up the
understandings between govern-
ment and business. Business men
are much pleased with the Senator's
statement that he would seek
representatives of industry in-
stead of sit with the Economic Com-
mission during prospective hearings
that industry will have first-hand
to every fact we develop.

—WS—

Congressman Dies of Texas, who,
chairman of a House committee has
been developing information about
activity of foreign firms in the
United States, now proposes to or-
ganize a League of Americanism. Of
twelve-point program he has out-
lined for the League, point No. 2 is
to talk of today. It is a vital
point of the American form of gov-
ernment. Dies sets it forth as fol-
lows:

To oppose every effort to under-
mine or weaken our system of checks
and balances and the maintenance of
three independent departments
of the Government.

The Texas Legislature should have
the words . . . the Legisla-
tive and Executive and the Judicial.
The fundamental difference between
the American form of representative
government and the dictatorships of
other nations in these words. No dicta-
torship legislative body and a con-
stitutional judiciary. . . . And the man all
men are looking for is the one
who suggested that all husbands
pay their wives a salary of
\$100.00 a year.

—WS—

But not nose—the Anvil

"NOBODY'S BUSINESS."

By
Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are
the author's own and not neces-
sarily those of the Herald.—M. E.

AUSTIN, Oct. 10.—A ten-minute
court session in the Travis County
District Court last week wrote legal
history in Texas, sent \$425,000 into
the State's strongbox, and \$25,000 in
fees into the pockets of the State's
special counsel, and ended a five-
year court battle which has played
an important part in the political car-
eers of several individuals.

The famous anti-trust suit brought
five years ago by Gov. James V. Allred,
then Attorney General, against
15 major oil companies was settled
by a compromise, agreed to by At-
torney General Bill McCraw and
special counsel for the State on one
side, and lawyers for the oil com-
panies, on the other. Allred had
sought maximum penalties that
would have totaled \$17,850,000. The
settlement was approved by special
counsel hired by Allred and retained
by McCraw, and the governor him-
self said he was "satisfied with any
compromise accepted by the assist-
ants I selected to help try the case."

Because the acts upon which the anti-
trust charges were predicated oc-
curred under the NEA code, later de-
clared illegal by the U. S. Supreme
Court, and have long since ceased to
be committed, observers here gen-
erally believed the maximum pen-
alties sought could not have been
won by the State, and that the set-
tlement reached was a fair one for
both sides. It would have required
probably five years of additional lit-
igation to settle it finally in court.
The constitutionality of the Texas
anti-trust law, which had been in
doubt, was definitely upheld by the
Supreme Court during progress of
the case, which was the most im-
portant point in the State's victory.

Probe Oil Dumping

Texas oil men were cheered some-
what by word from Washington that
Customs Commissioner James H.
Moyle has ordered a thorough in-
vestigation of charges made by the
North Texas Oil and Gas Association
that Mexican oil from confiscated
American and British wells was being
dumped on the Texas market at far
less than its actual value. They asked
that the Federal anti-dumping law be
invoked, and an emergency tariff in-
crease made effective. Figures from
Mexico indicate exports of oil are
less than half of normal since the ex-
propriation in March, and that much
of the oil being exported is being
bartered for German pipe and other
materials, instead of cash. Some of
the German pipe, of inferior quality,
is being offered for sale to Texas oil
operators.

Water Need Is Vital

Water is a limiting factor in fu-
ture industrial development, as well
as agricultural prosperity in Texas,
a group of several hundred inter-
ested Texans were told at a conference
of the Texas Water Resources as-
sociation held in Austin. Conferees
included Governor Nominee W. Lee
O'Daniel, who sat patiently through
a day of speech-making, to learn the
importance of conserving and storing
water for future needs.

He gave a broad hint of the prob-
able source of the additional tax
funds he will seek to pay old-age

pensions, when he told the water
folks "the old folks can't live much
longer just on water", and added
that he had told oil men at a pre-
vious conference that he was glad to
hear their industry was prosperous,
because he would need some new tax
money to pay pensions, and he
"would have to get it from somebody
who was making some money".

Meanwhile, the Texas Planning
Board sounded a warning against un-
employed persons in other states,
who have been hearing of O'Daniel's
plans for industrial development,
rushing to Texas to find jobs that
don't exist. The Board reported it
is prepared to furnish 251,000 work-
ers, already registered and jobless, to
any new industries which may start
operations.

Utilities Seek Relief

Power companies who were en-
joyed from doing anything to protect
their properties against confiscation
and destruction during the high-pres-
sure campaign of the Colorado River
Authority to get Colorado Valley
towns to go into the electric power
business with the Authority, will ap-
parently seek no court relief, since
all of the scheduled elections on city
bond issues have already been held.
But they probably will make an ef-
fort to clarify two statutes originally
designed to keep breweries from sub-
sidizing local option elections, which
were used as a basis for the injunc-
tions which kept the power com-
panies even from printing an adver-
tisement presenting their side of the
controversial power question. They
assert the laws were never intended
to prevent a company from trying to
prevent destruction of its large in-
vestments by a competing govern-
mental agency, which used high-pow-
ered political campaigning methods.

Prison Brutality

The perennial problem of drawing
the line between necessary discipline
of unruly prisoners, and middle age
brutality, which crops up periodical-
ly, may result in a shake-up in per-
sonnel at the Ferguson prison farm,
according to members of the Prison
Board. K. C. Morris, 21, a negro
convict, died after being kept in soli-
tary confinement on a bread and
water diet 11 days, and then sent in-
to a field to work. The Texas Prison
system, with its isolated prison farms
which are seldom visited by the pub-
lic or its representatives, the news-
paper reporters, affords an excellent
opportunity for brutal treatment of
prisoners. Except when mistreatment
results in the death of prisoners,
which frequently occurs, the public

hears nothing about prison condi-
tions.

Loy Heads Judges

Jake Loy, Grayson County Judge,
was elected president of the Texas
County Judges and Commissioners
association, and Fort Worth chosen
as the next convention city, at the
New Braunfels convention, attended
by 700 county officials and visitors.
The judges urged more liberal Fed-
eral appropriations for public works,
sterilization of insane and habitual
criminal persons, and more liberal
appropriations for the Health De-
partment's campaign against venere-
al diseases. The convention heard
Gerald Mann, Attorney General
nominee, urged a new constitution
for Texas.

Oil Price Breaks

Major oil companies were warned
that a cut in the price now being
paid for Texas crude would indicate
a loss of faith in their part in the
rigid proration policy pursued by the
Texas Railroad Commission, and a
broad hint was given that proration
might be lessened or substantially, if
such a cut is made, in a statement is-
sued by Rail Commission Chairman
Ernest O. Thompson. The majors
have cut crude prices in Arkansas
and Louisiana, but so far have not
extended the cuts to Texas, although
the crude market is reported very
"soft".

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

NEW AUTO LICENSES.

Oct. 1, J. G. Meehler, Dunlay,
Studebaker sedan.
Oct. 1, Jacob Schweers, Dunlay,
Chevrolet sedan.
Oct. 4, W. R. Bippert, LaCoste,
Ford V-8 Fordor.
Oct. 4, Adolph Zinsmeyer, LaCoste,
Chevrolet sedan.
Oct. 1, T. Warren Carter, Devine,
International farm truck.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Sept. 30, to Henry J. Haby and
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J. A. Hall, warranty deed with Ven-
dor's Lien to 12.50 acres of land out
of P. J. Salot Original Survey No.
498 and C. H. Dahlman Original
Survey No. 499. Consideration \$750.
Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to
Thos. A. Matuey, warranty deed to
20 acres out of Jac. Steinhart
Original Survey No. 500. Considera-
tion \$1,700.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to
L. O. Combs, warranty deed with
Vendor's Lien to 10.92 acres out of
Ed. Tosby Original Survey No. 36
and C. M. Brown Original Survey No.
35. Consideration \$600.00.

Texas Bond and Mortgage Co. to
Nelson Greeman, warranty deed to
39 2-5 acres of land out of south
parts of Lots Nos. 30 and 31 of
farm lots lying north and east of Me-
dina River, across from town of
Castroville. Consideration \$150.00
and other good and valuable con-
sideration.

Mrs. Mary Bader et al to Joe A.
Bader, warranty deed with Vendor's
Lien to 167 acres of land out of Sur-
vey No. 178, N. Flores. Consideration
\$2840.00.

John Patton and wife to Medina
Irrigated Farms, Inc., warranty deed
to 12.82 acres out of M. W. Dikes
Original Survey No. 27. Ten dollars
and other good and valuable con-
sideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to
W. A. Brown, warranty deed to 18.86
acres out of Wm. Jones Original Sur-
vey No. 37. Consideration \$1,500.00.

C. P. Dubose and Ruby K. Dubose
to Mrs. Kathleen E. Dubose, war-

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Judge A. H. Rothe reports a one-inch rain having fallen over a small area at the Seco Switch Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Duncan of Hebbronville spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Duncan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chancey.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fohn have returned to their home in Houston after having spent the summer with relatives here and in D'Hanis.

FOR SALE—RED RUST PROOF SEED OATS, FREE OF JOHNSON GRASS. CHAPMAN MILL & GRAIN CO., HONDO TEXAS.

Postmaster Lawrence Brucks left Saturday for Louisville, Kentucky, where he is attending the National Postmasters' Convention this week.

Fritz Fessler of Yancey and a missionary of the Seventh Day Adventist Church were Hondo visitors Wednesday and while here paid the Anvil Herald office a business call.

Relatives here received greetings from Clinton Jagge who accompanied the St. Mary's University fans to New Orleans, La., last week-end for the St. Mary's-Loyola football game.

Walter Hitzfeldt of Duncan Field, San Antonio, was in Hondo Saturday with members of his family on a business and pleasure trip, and while here called at this office and enrolled with us as a reader of both of our papers.

THEATRE ON WHEELS TO VISIT HONDO.

Mr. Robert Kollman, local Chevrolet Dealer, announces that Chevrolet's Complete Theatre On Wheels, the "Automovie", will visit Hondo and put on a complete program of interesting, educational and thrilling sound motion pictures, free to the public, on Thursday evening, October 20th at 7:30 P. M., on College Square.

This novel and unique unit is mounted on a special long wheel base Chevrolet truck chassis and contains a complete theatre type sound motion picture projector, amplifier and public address system. It has its own electric power plant and can put on a show anywhere. The top is so constructed that it is mechanically raised and a transparent curtain drops down at the rear. The picture is projected on the screen by means of a mirror and is visible to a large audience.

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The program has been shown to High Schools and Colleges all over the United States and has been enthusiastically indorsed for its highly educational and entertaining value.

"Man On Horseback"—Running Time 9.5 minutes; As Paul Revere carries his safety warning to the minutemen in 1775, so does the mounted traffic policeman, the modern man on horseback, carry a safety warning to motorists and pedestrians of today.

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DR. M. S. DERANKOU, OPTOMETRIST, AUTHORIZES US TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE WILL BE BACK IN HONDO, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, AND WILL BE AT HIS OFFICE AS USUAL, EVERY THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, THEREAFTER.

The County Commissioners report the road improvements on Highway No. 96 from D'Hanis west about one mile are well under way. The pavement has been taken off, sub-grade widened to almost twice its original width and twelve inches of gravel base being placed on this, to be followed by paving.

The Commissioners' Court of Medina County convened in regular session at 2 P. M. Monday, October 10, at the courthouse in Hondo. Reports of the county welfare workers and the Home Demonstration Agent were heard and approved by the Court. Bills were approved and other routine matters completed the business, and the Court adjourned.

Saturday, October 1, the period for paying 1939 poll taxes was opened. According to County Tax Assessor-Collector L. E. Heath's office, Mr. W. T. Crow of Hondo received the first receipt for poll tax payment, on October 1, and Mrs. Crow, his wife, was second. Last year Col W. B. Gloom, who in the meantime has taken up his residence in Austin, was the first to apply for poll tax receipt for 1938.

All the members of the County Commissioners' Court, including Judge A. H. Rothe, and Commissioners A. A. Bader of Hondo, Ben Koch of D'Hanis, H. J. Bippert of Castroville and H. J. Hardcastle of Devine, attended the State Convention of the County Judges and Commissioners of Texas held last Thursday, Friday and Saturday in New Braunfels. They report royal entertainment, good business meetings and a large membership in attendance. The convention for 1939 will be held in Fort Worth.

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TO ATTEND ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

W. S. Highsmith, who has been pastor of the Methodist church here for the past two years, will attend the West Texas Annual Conference which will convene at Travis Park Church in San Antonio, Wednesday evening, October 19th, at 7:30.

The assignment of ministers to their pastoral charges for the coming year will be made, and the appointments read by Bishop A. Frank Smith the following Sunday evening.

Rev. Highsmith, besides his pastoral duties has been active in other ways. He is the Worship Patron of the Eastern Star, Chaplain of the Blue Lodge of Masons, and Scout Master in the Boy Scout work.

Mrs. Highsmith is president of the Parent-Teachers Association of Hondo.

Fifty new members have been added to the church this year under Rev. Highsmith's preaching.

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. Highsmith, both members of their church and affiliates of other denominations, will be glad to see Rev. Highsmith returned to his work here.

A BARBECUE SUPPER.

A barbecue supper was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Wiemers Saturday, October 8th, at 5:30 o'clock. The supper consisted of bread, pickles, salads, and good barbecue and coffee. The bread and pickles were good, the salads better, and the barbecue was the best.

After supper a number of games were played and the evening was whiled away by talking together.

Those present and enjoying the good supper are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. John Muennink and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Wiemers and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Wiemers and family from San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Muennink and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muennink and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Muennink and son, Coy, Alfred Muennink from Yancey, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Muennink and family, Rev. and Mrs. Robt. Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes Wiemers and daughter, Doris, and Mrs. John Wiemers from San Antonio.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.

A miscellaneous shower was given October 4th, at the home of Mrs. W. G. Schweers, in honor of Mrs. Andrew W. Giesick, who was Miss Luella Schweers before her recent marriage. The honoree was attired in a becoming navy blue dress with matching accessories. A color scheme of pink and white was featured in the decoration of the home.

An appropriate toast to the bride was given by Mrs. Raymond Giesick, after which the gifts, in a pretty decorated boat, were brought in by little Miss Jean Bohlen and Victor Schweers. The honoree graciously thanked all who had showered her with presents.

Freshments of delicious ice cream and angel food cake were served to about forty guests.

P-T. A. COUNTY COUNCIL TO MEET AT LA COSTE.

The first meeting of the Medina County Council of Parent-Teacher Association for the scholastic year of 1938-39 will convene at LaCoste, Texas, on October 15, 1938, at 2:00 P. M.

The following program will be given:

"America the Beautiful"—Assembly.

Two Numbers—Miss Helen Conrad's Dancing Class.

Reading—"New Standards in Family Living"—Miss Lula Lee McMeans.

Drill.

Piano Selection—Mrs. Julius Abr. Business Session.

METHODIST NOTES.

Morning Service at 10:00. Evening Service at 7:30.

This is the last Sunday in this conference year and all members are urged to be present at these services.

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Miss Evelyn Haegelin, who is attending Incarnate Word College, and Oscar Schuchart of San Antonio were here for the Hondo-Del Rio football game Friday and also spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Haegelin.

Mrs. P. Jungman, Mrs. C. C. Rogers and Miss Elta Leinweber spent Wednesday in Seguin where they attended the celebration which climaxed the Centennial year of that 100-year old city. Mrs. Jungman's and Mrs. Rogers' father was among the earliest settlers of Seguin and is buried near there.

Mrs. J. M. Finger, Mrs. Volney Boon and Mrs. George Newsom took Mrs. Finger's guest, Mrs. Howard Ellis of Beaver Falls, Pa., to San Antonio Monday where they visited the Alamo, the Missions, the Spanish Governor's palace and other interesting sites of the city. Mrs. Ellis left Tuesday for her home in Pennsylvania.

Among those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Peter Bless in San Antonio Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Muennink, Mrs. Fritz Stiegler, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Stiegler, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nietenhoefer, Mr. and Mrs. John Schweers, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schweers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frerichs and Mrs. Edgar Stiegler and perhaps others.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Braden was christened in St. John's Church Sunday, October 9, and received the name of Irene Andrea. Sponsors were Mrs. Adolph Lutz and Mr. Gerhart Braden. The little girl weighed seven pounds at her birth on September 26, 1938, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. O. L. Lebold, in Hondo.

Mrs. Ione Crouch this week orders the home-town paper sent to her son, John Russell, and to Ralph Noonan, who are attending the University of Texas. John and Ralph, with "Tex" Robertson, university swimming coach, have a garage apartment at 2009 Whitis street and are enjoying "keeping house" for themselves. John Russell is now in training to swim the 1500-metre race.

Ben Tomerlin reports that he was in Austin on September 23rd, to help Col. W. B. Odom celebrate his 83rd birthday. The Col.'s friends will be glad to learn that he is enjoying fairly good health despite his advanced years. Eighty-three years of his life in Texas has witnessed some marvelous changes. The Col. has a vivid recollection of the time the Capitol was wrested from Governor Edmund J. Davis and his negro militiamen, neither has he forgotten the war-whoop of hostile Comanches while a ranger in his younger days. Mr. Tomerlin is looking after Col. Odom's extensive land interests here.

Fritz Borchers paid the Anvil Herald folks his annual renewal visit Monday and moved his date ahead another year. Mr. Borchers was born in Germany 82 years ago. Circumstances forced him to begin earning his own living at 14 years of age. He came to America as a young man. After spending some time in the Northern states, he came to Quihi in 1887, married there, acquired a farm home, and has resided there since. He has been a member of the Quihi Gun Club for 35 years and is the oldest living member, too old to longer compete in the Club's rifle shooting, but still enjoys rabbit hunting with a shotgun. He is still a very active man despite his 82 years. Mrs. Borchers at 71 years is eleven years younger than her husband, but is in feeble health. The old people now make their home with a married daughter.

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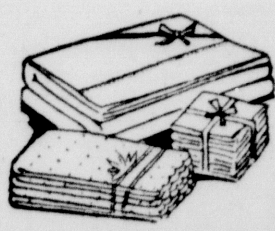
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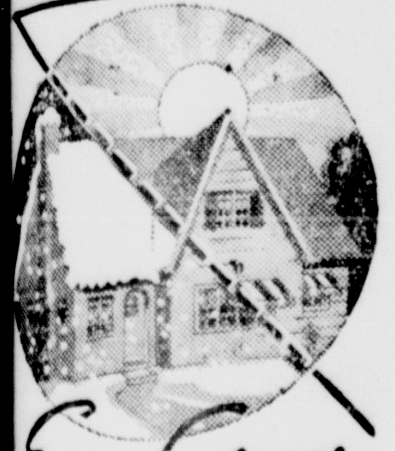
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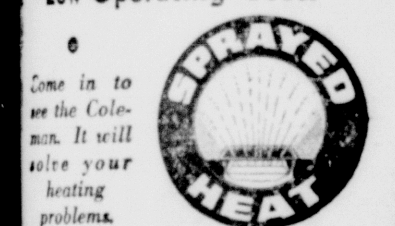
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QUIHI NOTES.

Aaron Boehle is still among the living, rejoicing and grateful, we hope, as are we. Many minor accidents in the same order had disastrous consequences. Very few escape with the impact and the heavy truckload of cattle and the total wreckage of the vehicle. Not a scratch, as he went through just a terrible scare, and the little birdie says, Man must have his sleep at the proper time and the proper place. We all have our limits.

The new home barely arranged, a little visitor made her appearance in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Saathoff, a baby-girl. All's well and many are rejoicing with the happy parents.

Sixteen members could be present at the Ladies' Aid meeting. As in the call meeting, so it was confirmed in the regular meeting, to have the members of the Aid as well as of the whole parish take active part in the Community Social on the 22nd inst. Bazaar and supper will be in their reliable hands. The general committee from this group are the Mesdames Otto Lindeburg, Geo. Balzen, Andrew Schweers and Emil Saathoff. The list for about thirty sub-committees is displayed at the usual place for your inspection, please.

Thanks to the various contributors for our last League program all around. The audience was not small and there was something for all of them, we suppose. There were twenty-seven members in the business meeting and many welcome guests. The main items of discussion centered around the Social and the League's share of the activity, offered with great willingness. The steering committee from this organization are the Mesdames Frank Boehle, Arnold Lindeburg, Alb. Reus, Herbert Brucks, and the Messrs. Alfred Boehle, Frank Boehle, Walter Grell and Milton Balzen. And here are the assignments for the next program: Select reading, Mrs. Alb. Mumme, Miss Andrew Eckhardt, Miss Esther Neumann; vocal selection, Miss Aileen Grell, Mrs. Oscar Haby, Mrs. Alb. Reus; instrumental, Miss Pauline Saathoff.

Announcements for October the 16th: German service at 10:30; Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30; English service at 7:30 P. M. Notice the change in time schedule. "Who like thyself my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me." Come to worship Him.

—C. W.

JOHN BUSS DEAD.

Mr. John Buss died Sunday evening, October 9, 1938, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Earl Watson. He was buried in the Yancey cemetery Tuesday afternoon, after a funeral service at the Horger funeral chapel at two o'clock. The last rites were conducted by his pastor, Rev. W. S. Highsmith of the local Methodist church, of which deceased was a member. Rev. Highsmith was assisted in the service by Rev. I. V. Garrison of the local Baptist church and at the grave by Rev. J. E. Fuller of the Yancey Methodist church. The pallbearers were: Fritz Senne, Charlie Hartman, G. C. McAnelly, A. L. Haegelin, Fritz Oefinger and Henry Frerichs.


Mr. Buss was born in Medina County, near New Fountain, on April 6, 1864, and was the first child born to his parents after their arrival in this country from Germany. When a small child his family moved to Guadalupe County, near Seguin, but shortly after returned to Medina County where the deceased lived most of his life on his farm near Yancey. For the past several months he has lived with his daughter in Hondo. He had attained the age of 74 years, six months and 3 days.

On January 1, 1885, he was married to Miss Matilda Gerdes at New Fountain. She preceded him in death nearly 21 years. Surviving their union are two daughters: Mrs. Oscar Pihartz of Breckenridge, Texas, and Mrs. Earl Watson of Hondo. One son, John E. Buss, died at the age of 15 years. There are four grandchildren, Misses Lora Bilhartz and Earline Watson and Harold and James Bilhartz. Two brothers, William of New Braunfels and Henry of Hondo, and numerous other relatives and friends mourn his departure.

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Adolph Haass and wife to Clarence A. Haass, warranty deed to part of 10-acre tract of land out of Jean Gunhenspergen Survey No. 188, in town of Hondo. Consideration \$1.00 and love and affection.

Edw. A. Mechler to Paul J. Reilly, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 19, in town of Hondo. Consideration \$400.00.

E. J. Pruitt and wife to Mrs. Fannie Tullis, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 10 and 11, in Block No. 27 of J. M. Bright Addition to town of Devine. Consideration \$75.00.

Estate of Mrs. Sallie Redus, Dec'd., to Maria Ambris, warranty deed to 6 acres, Block No. 104 in City of Devine. Consideration \$300.00.

D. H. Fly and wife to Frank X. Vance and wife, warranty deed to 100 feet by 229 feet out of Block Letter "D" of Fly Addition to town of Hondo. Consideration \$450.00.

Mrs. Caroline Bendele to Manuel Alcaraz, warranty deed to town lot out of Survey No. 185, in town of Hondo. Consideration \$130.00.

M. A. Chaney to Ramon Cadena, warranty deed to Lot No. 9, of Chaney Addition to town of Hondo. Consideration \$75.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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Oct. 8, Roy John Schweers and Eunice Pearl Ruff.

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INFANT BURIED AT NEW FOUNTAIN

On Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1938, William Lane, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lane of Austin, Texas, was laid at rest in the New Fountain cemetery. Having died of meningitis, under the quarantine laws of Texas, private interment was held with none present but the family.

William Lane was born Nov. 8, 1937, and died Oct. 2, 1938, after fourteen days of treatment by one of the best baby doctors in the hospital in Austin. It seemed that he would recover for he responded to the meningitis treatment and was getting better when a complication of flu set in and he sank very rapidly. His mother was constantly by his side during his illness. She and the father accompanied the body back to the old home at New Fountain, leaving his body with us, and returning empty hearted to their home in Austin. May God in His infinite mercy go with them, and fill the empty void of their hearts with His presence.

—Rev. Robert Paine.

MRS. EMMIE BLESS.

Mrs. Emmie Bless died at a San Antonio hospital Saturday, Oct. 8, in her 54th year. Survivors: Husband, Peter Bless; son, Earl; daughter, Mrs. Corrine Etter; brother, Willie Schweers; sisters, Mrs. J. W. Kothmann, Mrs. George Gerdes, Mrs. E. E. Lehmborg, Mrs. John Zuercher of San Antonio, Mrs. Fritz Stiegler of Hondo, Texas, Mrs. Ben Gerdes of Bandera, Texas, and four grandchildren. Funeral services were held Monday, October 10, at 2 P. M., at Akers Funeral Home, Rev. Stanley Haver and Rev. A. E. Rector officiating. Interment was made in Roselawn Burial park.

LOUIS GROFF.

Louis Groff, died at his home, 533 Price, San Antonio, Monday, October 10, 4 P. M., in his 68th year. Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Emma Groff, one son, Ernest, and two daughters, Mrs. Clara Bricker and Miss Ora Groff, one brother, August, and two grandchildren, Preston and Jayle Nell Bricker. Funeral services were held Tuesday, October 11, 4 P. M., Father Eustace officiating. Interment was made in San Fernando No. 2. Arrangements by Akers Funeral Home.

MRS. SUNUM TAMPKE.

UTOPIA, Tex., Oct. 10.—Mrs. Sunum Tampke, 72, died at her home this morning after a few months' illness. Her husband preceded her in death two years ago. She leaves one son, Melvin, of San Antonio, and one daughter, Mrs. Corrine Bouquet, of this place. Funeral services were held Monday evening.

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A foreign war at this time would be fraught with more danger to the United States from dictatorship at home than from any harm its enemies could possibly bring to our shores. If disposed to be a "jingo" better think about this possibility.

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In a recent radio address, our only living Ex-President, Herbert Hoover, indicted successfully and incontrovertibly the New Deal for violating every form of law from the Divine to the profane somehow and at some time. And yet where is there any shame in the New Dealers?

—oOo—

The drought now prevalent over much of the state portends a winter of little browse on the range and a shortage of stock water. If coupled with severe cold weather, heavy losses of live stock are anticipated. Most ranges are supplied with wells for furnishing water during such an emergency. And the stock man who has combined farming with ranching to the extent of growing and storing sufficient feed to tide over such periods of drought can weather this dry spell. The day when stockmen can depend entirely on native pasture is past in Texas.

—oOo—

Roosevelt's man Wallace recently journeyed to Texas and threw a fit of jitters into certain people by waving before them a threat of five cent cotton if they do not stand hitched to New Deal farm control policies. We know a farmer who bought and paid for two good hill farms, as such farms go in Mississippi, with five cent cotton during the Grover Cleveland depression of the early 90's. There was no government regimenting of the farmers then. Under the Wallace regime he tells us he is finding it difficult to make those farms earn their taxes. It might be a good bargain to trade Wallace and his schemes for five cent cotton—and taxes on a parity!

—oOo—

A few years ago, out of the brain-trust at Washington, there came a spasm for fixing a processing tax on the manufacture of certain farm products into finished articles for consumption. The integrity of the Supreme Court in declaring the monstrosity unconstitutional stopped the folly. Now comes from out the same madhouse of muddled planning a proposal to do the opposite—subsidize out of the public treasury these same processors! We always heard that the thing to do when one finds himself going in the wrong direction is to turn 'round and go back! But that certainly presumed stopping at the right time and not going on into error in an opposite direction.

—oOo—

Two years ago the people of Texas defeated for election to office the Hon. Geo. B. Terrell because he had been the only man in Congress with courage and honesty enough to declare the New Deal policies illegal and impracticable. Everybody knew the truthfulness of the first statement but chose to ignore the fact. Time has vindicated the latter. And now the man who benefits by the lack of fidelity of the people to a real statesman is making the welkin ring over Texas in condemnation of this New Deal foolishness but proposing a scheme just as wild in lieu of it. Some people learn mighty slowly, but given time they eventually learn that a wrong course never leads to a right destination.

FARM RELIEF FAILS AGAIN.

Paul Mallon expressed the view of most informed commentators when he wrote in a recent column: "The farm act is failing fast. That fact... is becoming so evident that many of Mr. Wallace's men will now concede privately they do not see how the situation can be worked out next year on the same basis."

This has been the unhappy experience of most farm acts of the past, no matter how sincerely inspired or efficiently administered. Time has again proven the old adage that "self-help is the best help", and that goes for the farmer as well as everyone else. If agriculture looks to political panaceas for permanent benefits, it will be foredoomed to disappointment. Real farm progress is coming from activities instigated and controlled by the farmers themselves, such as non-political farm marketing cooperatives which apply sound business principles to farm operation.—Industrial News Review.

With the principle that "self-help is the best help" all must agree.

We can go further and concede that self-help is the prime essential for all success; without intelligent self-help all "assistance", however well meant, is vain.

But self-help, however earnestly applied, is helpless in face of frustration that can be neither avoided nor overcome.

Those of us who see farmers failing every day because of conditions beyond their control—see farmers who inherited well-to-do circumstances losing the substance of their inheritance—despite their best efforts—know this to be true.

He labors in vain whose govern-

ment's exorbitant taxes rob him of his earnings.

In vain does he strive whose government allows monopolists to bleed him of his sustenance.

It is vain to hope for success when the farmer is the victim of a monetary system that robs him for the benefit of the money monopolists; when a tariff system forces him to pay tribute to the protective tariff monopolists; when he is victimized by a transportation system that sometimes takes more of the consumer's dollar for a haul to market than the producer gets for a whole season's labor to produce; and even if these handicaps be removed, so long as a few government protected and coddled produce-gamblers are permitted to set the price on the farmer's produce and manipulate that price up or down, in controvention of economic law, to their own enrichment and the impoverishment of the producer, the farmer can hope for little less than economic slavery.

These are facts that should be plain to all.

But do we see any effort on the part of government to remove these handicaps from agriculture and give the farmers a fair and equal chance in the great race in "pursuit of happiness"?

On the contrary, we see him misled by paternalistic-socialistic-Nazi sophistry and bribed by government doles into acquiescence in a so-called farm relief plan that is violative of statutory law because it is without constitutional warrant; violative of economic law because it seeks to over-ride the operation of supply and demand; and violative of moral law because it seeks to take from one to give to another without

an exchange of value.

Not only is such an unholy scheme foredoomed to failure, but the sin of it is to be visited upon our children, to the third and fourth generation, who, as the consequences of the folly of their fathers, must bear the curse of economic slavery or repudiate the heritage of debt we are leaving them and blot it out in the blood and carnage of revolution.

Will America—and especially her farmers—ever wake up to the inevitable consequences of the mad course in which we are headed?

Or is it already too late?

—oOo—

We have an otherwise intelligent friend who thinks he sees, in the extortionate taxes now being mulcted from the people by the government and the enormous doles and "benefits" awarded to others, what he is pleased to call in an approving manner a "re-distribution of wealth". Specifically he thinks the destruction faced by certain power companies at the hands of government but retributive justice because of their vast accumulation of wealth. If there were needed evidence of failure of our American system of public education, we have it here. He is a product of state supported education from the grades to a great university, yet he knows so little about economic law he does not know that wealth rightfully belongs to him and him alone who creates it; so little about ethics that he does not know you cannot take from one that which is his to give to another without violating moral law; and he is so ignorant of human sociology as not to know such a division would harm more than help some of the recipients. Instead of re-distribution of wealth, we see only the destruction of wealth and the distribution of universal poverty.

—oOo—

The American people can be thankful that they repudiated Woodrow Wilson in his unholy ambition to make himself a world dictator through the League of Nations scheme. Had he entangled this country in European affairs as was his plan, we would now—if not long before—be involved in another world war. With the United States to depend upon, war and not a sell-out of the Czechs would have been the policy of England and France. And while we sympathize with the Czechs deprived of the "right of self-determination", we are happy because of our own "self-determination" to avoid "entangling alliances".

—oOo—

A successful farmer friend tells us that in periods of drouth, such as now prevails, he always puts his fields in condition by plowing them thoroughly, and then waiting for the rain. When the rains do come, his soil is in condition to absorb and retain the moisture and he can proceed to seed his crops without delay and loss of time to take care of a belated preparation of the soil. There is something in that for every tiller of the soil to think about.

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ANVIL SPARKS

PEACE—

—Like all things worthwhile must be bought at a price!

—Paid for at the cost of honor is bought at too great a price!

—Achieved by dishonest means is never long secure!

—Is never safe only so long as the possessor is able to defend it!

—Imposed by might is the most galling of slavery!

—Is a possession not to be bartered for "any" price!

—Is a possession worth fighting for any time!

SPARKLETS

Who gives way to anger surrenders to his worst instincts!

†

Who would grow a beautiful character must nurture it with wholesome thoughts!

†

The saddest requiem ever sung—"oh, what's the use"!

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Fail eventually each thing must That's not founded on ways that are just!

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Americana: Selling scrap-iron to belligerents and praying for world peace!

†

He who would succeed needs must never give up!

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One never rises above one's will to do!

FALL TIME ON THE FARM.

By Fletcher Davis

* When purple and ripened are the wild grapes

* And the sumach from the sunshine is red,

* And Autumn the hills with her beauty drapes,

* And the dull heat of the summer is dead!

* When the pumpkins are ripening in the corn,

* And the persimmons yellow on the tree;

* When the bob-whites call in the frosty morn,

* And all nature is happy as can be.

* When golden-rod blossoms wave in the breeze;

* When all nature is complete in her charm,

* And Winter's voice whispers first in the trees—

* Ah! then it is fall time down on the farm!

* Oh! then, take me back to the old farm home,

* For my farming heart already is there;

* There o'er its by-ways in peace let me roam

* When down on the farm it's fall time so fair!

* * * * *



AN OLD FARM

A hard place to get to, way up on a hill,
The road is both winding and steep;
There's none left to care that sharp
jossies are there,
Or gullies so stony and deep.

The fields that once rippled with corn
and with wheat,
Are now full of stubble and weeds;
The orchard is barren—there's no
garden now—
Where once the rich earth nourished
seeds.

The house and the barns are all tum-
bling down,
The corn-crib no longer I see;
The tall cherry tree, where luscious
fruit grew,
Shakes skeleton branches at me.

The friendly old pear tree beside the
back door,
Will never be fruitful again;
Nor will the old house where my ba-
by was born
Know laughter, or pleasure, or pain.

A sorrowful place is that lonely hill
farm,
That once was so fruitful and glad;
Forgotten—neglected—it lies there,
rejected;

An old farm—deserted and sad.

—GERTRUDE THOMAS
HEINEN.

AUTUMN SPIRIT.

This restless mood that Autumn
brings
Is not less irresistible than the mood
of Spring
Hanging low on the horizon with its
elusive haze,
And not to-be pierced with casual
gaze.

The haunting whistle of the rumbling
train
Is a deepened note in each echoed
refrain,
And autumn is here in mellowed
sound;
Curled, russet leaves float to the
ground.

But the season's divine Spirit shall
only discover
The dusky silhouette of Autumn's
ardent lover.
And none of human eye shall see in
these signs
What the season shapes in autumn
flame designs!

—LELA WILLRITE

LAUGHTER

In the hustle and the bustle
Of the busy working day,
There is always time for laughter;
Sprinkle it along the way.

Laughter helps the weary workman,
Whether he be young or old;
Helps him gather up new courage
For his body and his soul.

Just a merry ha, ha, ha
Breaks the tension and the strain;
Relaxes every muscle,
Calms the nerves—empowers the
brain.

Laughter is a mighty tonic,
Giving life a brighter ray
In the hustle and the bustle
Of the busy working day.

—VELMA L. WOLFF.

THREE RUSSIANS.

Salakoff is maker of verses
Winds he the words from a reel;
Singing of heaven and God's mercies,
Things only a great mind can feel.

Malakoff is mighty of sinew and
soul;
Heart of an oak by a wintry shore.
Graven high on a shining scroll
Are deeds of his kind, in kingly lore.

Romanovich, little master, he, of the
strings
Dreaming ever and in his senses hear-
ing
Longed for harmonies, faint, strained
whisperings
From courts majestic where great
choirs sing.

Down in the reek of Melcovich's dive,
Where nightly a red light sickly
flames;
Romanovich tortures jazz to a humid
hive
Of drunken louts and world-saddened
dames.

Beyond the weary clamor of brogan-
ed feet
And maudlin babble of crazy mirth
Oft races his fancy afar to greet
A Mongol morn and a new-made
earth.

Daily there in the steel mills murk
Salakoff, Malakoff, Romanovich, the
three
Delve and sweat in the grimy dark:
And thus their days are strung end-
lessly.

Will the string break with scattering
of beads—
Will the story end with a moral well
spun?
You weary us Master with planting
of seeds
In fields oversown under our fleeting
sun.

The bedrock shakes under the giant
blast.
Eagerly the drills gnaw the charted
line
The steel pier arises one mighty mast
Thus The Immortal Urge carves a-
new its sign.

—DAVID W. CADE.

RECALLING

The brightest sun—a clear blue sky—
A perfumed apple orchard night—
A shady yard—great bois d'arc trees
A field of flowers a-hum with bees.

We wonder how a little thing like
that will hold through years
Recalled with happy tenderness
through memory tears.

—ADDIEBELL S. PORTER.

GROWERS

Only those who love
Flowers can make them grow—and
Those who love them—grow!
—EDITH ANISFIELD WOLF.

ALONG ABOUT SUNDOWN.

WHEN white and fleecy clouds adorn
My dimming western sky,
And all the flowers of spring asleep
And evening's drawing nigh,
I oft' will sit and dream a bit
And turn a backward look,
To happy days of boyhood—
Down beside a shimmering brook.

How many times I stole away
Where willows meet the stream,
To sit and hold my fishin' pole
And watch the waters gleam,
To see the cork go bobbing
Every time I had a bite,
Oh gladden days of long ago
Of boyhood's sweet delight.

They were the days of perfect peace
And skies of azure blue
They were the days that sorrows
And worries never knew.
Oh merry songs, oh whistled tunes—
Oh cheeks of ruddy health,
Oh wondrous days brimming full
Of life's most cherished wealth.

So when the whitened clouds adorn—
The dimming western sky,
And all the flowers of spring asleep
And evenings drawing nigh,
I oft' will sit and dream a bit
And turn a backward look
To happy days of boyhood—
Down beside a shimmering brook.

—DON TOWLER.

OCTOBER HAZE

October has returned to us
With mystic lines of haze,
And people everywhere exclaim
Of autumn's lovely days.

The blood red leaves upon the trees,
And those of sober brown,
Will leave no sign of summer green
When they go tumbling down.

The nuts are ripening to brown,
And soon the woods will ring,
And dogs will bark at shouting boys
And sticks the boys will fling.

October beauty fills the heart
With forest and with sky,
And many eyes are wet with tears
For beauty drifting by.

—J. E. ELLIOTT

CHRISM OF TEARS.

Lord of our life and all the homely
things;
The cleaning-brushes and the soiled
pans
That stalk our kitchens upon heavy
wings
And bind our spirits with unbidden
strands;

We find no time to watch the fair
sunrise
Nor tarry 'neath the starry dome of
night;
But in the Chrism of Tears we bathe
our eyes
Until the hour for sleep—then care
takes flight.

—KAY McCULLOUGH.

THERE IS A HUSH

There is a hush in the home today
Silence and sorrow reign alone,
Angel of Death has taken away
A taper to light the Dear God's
throne.

There is a hush among the flowers
In the lovely garden so fair,
Where silent echoes of footfalls mars
A golden dream of ecstasy rare.

There is a hush in my lonely heart,
Grief and tears for you, Oh, My
Dear!
Joy of your love was a thing apart
I know without you, days will be
drear.

Yet, that hush shall be lifted some
way,

An end to grieving there will be,
With joy I shall greet you some
sweet day
Along the path of Eternity.

—EMOGENE CLEMENT
BARDON.

SUPPLICATION.

Dear Lord, I need so much, give
courage, stay
Close, that I perform each task to-
day,
Speak cheery words to friends I
chance to meet;
If strangers call help me to kindly
treat,
For woe misfortune may have walked
their way
Perhaps a word or smile would lift
some life,
All desolate, to higher plains. None
say
How far hearts service reach. Thus
limit strife.

So, fill some creature's wants, some
woe beguile,
To meet each day, with courage and
a smile
My tasks; to pray and meditate
awhile.

—MARY GOSSETT SMITH.

TOMORROW IS THE SABBATH.

Far from the town are folk
Who have not learned new ways,
They keep the Sabbath holy
With ancient hymns of praise.

Rich soil to them was given;
They sow the seed and reap
Till church bells ring, and then
The Sabbath Day they keep.

Red-cheeked and lithely built
They laugh behind the plow,
To-morrow is the Sabbath
At the altar they will bow.

Within the village church
They still make manifest
That God has been most kind,
Especially them has blessed.

—RUTH C. DEITZ.

AUTUMN MOOD.

Oh God, is it Thy Will that we have
This winged spirit ever restless,
Ever exultant, on invisible pinions
Soaring to vast unattainable heights?
Is it Thy Sign this brief unfathom-
able

Hovering, still as a mute breath;
This winged spirit of Joy, of unex-
plainable
Gladness. . . . And an exquisite
autumn mood

Of restless sadness. . . . ?

—LELA WILLRITE.

GARDEN TALKS

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D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Haegelin and daughters, Jeline of Hondo, and Evelyn of Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, and Oscar Schuchart of San Antonio were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart Saturday.

Misses Melvira Rothe and Mary Belle Carle left Monday for Dallas, where they are representing Medina County 4-H Girls at the State Fair. They won the trip after being judged on the merit of goals accomplished as well as on records and histories of their work.

Little Miss Mary Louise Koch spent last week in San Antonio with her grandmother, Mrs. Alvina Koch. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grollmund have left for Laredo where he has accepted a position with the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Carle had as guests Sunday several of their children and grandchildren, who came to surprise Mrs. Carle on her birthday anniversary. The visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schawe and family of Knippa, Mrs. Fred Carle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown and family of San Antonio.

Mrs. Ernest Brotze of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. John Batot Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fillingier of San Antonio were guests of her father, Mr. August Koch, Sunday.

Mrs. Tony Taylor of Tuleta is a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Zinsmeyer.

Friends of Mr. J. A. Homesly of Sabinal were grieved to hear of his death last Sunday night. Many people of D'Hanis attended the funeral Monday afternoon. He was a retired ranchman, having spent many years of his life some miles south of D'Hanis. One of his survivors is his son, Earl Homesly, of this place.

SHOWER FOR MISS ROHRBACH

A miscellaneous shower, honoring Miss Alice Rohrbach, a bride-elect, was given in the Parish Hall last Sunday afternoon. Miss Antoinette Dubray played a wedding march while the honoree entered, led by Mary Turner and Charles Rohrbach Jr. to the place of honor. Queen's wreath and fern were used in the decorations, harmonizing with a color scheme of pink and white.

The honoree wore a black and white redingote with black hat and other accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink queen's wreath.

Sandwiches, cookies and iced tea were served to about 110 guests, who registered in the bride's book. Miss Rohrbach received many attractive gifts.

GINGHAM GIRLS BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Verine Finger entertained the Gingham Girls Bridge Club and several guests at her home Wednesday afternoon. At the close of the games Mrs. Robert Zuberbuehler received high score prize for members, and Mrs. Alice Reinhart for guests. Miss Ethel Rothe received low, and Mrs. Herman Ney drew high for consolation. Delicious sandwiches, cake, and iced tea were served by the hostess. The personnel included Mesdames O. S. Secrist, R. R. Carle, Herman Ney, Charles Langfeld, Alice Reinhart, Arthur Nester, James Finger and Robert Zuberbuehler, and Misses Alice Rohrbach, Sarah Koch, Gladys Rieber, Lena Reinhart, Lillian Fohn, Ursie Lee Rock, Stella Finger, and Ethel Rothe.

D'HANIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

F. F. A. Barbecue
The D'Hanis Chapter of the Future Farmers of America had its annual barbecue honoring the newly-elected sweetheart, Barbara Boog, at the High School Auditorium, Saturday evening, October 8. The faculty and the High School pupils were guests. The supper was followed by dancing.

Visits D. H. S.
County Superintendent C. F. Selkners visited the school on Wednesday, Oct. 12.

Football Notes
The D'Hanis Cowboys' second conference football game ended in a decided victory over Catarina on the D'Hanis field last Friday afternoon.

Hondo School News

From THE OWL
BOY SCOUTS GO ON ALL-DAY HIKE

A number of boys of the Eagle Patrol of the Boy Scout Organization went on an all-day hike to Mr. L. E. Kollman's ranch seven miles north of Hondo, last Saturday.

The boys taking the first class test in cooking and hiking were: Bobby Kollman, Bobby Cameron, Billy Fly, and "Bud" Johnson. They were accompanied by their scout master, the Rev. W. S. Highsmith. Only a limited number of scouts can participate in this test at one time.

The scouts hold their regular meetings at the Fireman's hall every Tuesday night.

Charter No. 1059. Official Statement of Financial Condition of the D'HANIS STATE BANK

At D'Hanis, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of September, 1938, published in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 14th day of October, 1938.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts on personal or collateral security	\$ 50,349.38
Loans secured by real estate	1,477.93
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	43,778.73
Other bonds and stocks	1.00
Customers bonds held for safekeeping	900.00
Furniture and fixtures	650.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	1,000.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	60,485.99
TOTAL	\$158,643.03
GRAND TOTAL	\$158,643.03

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$10,000.
Income Debentures Sold	\$ 8,100.
Total Capital Structure	18,100.00
Surplus Fund	3,250.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,536.68
Reserve for Dividends payable in Common Stock	1,900.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	131,956.35
Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping	900.00
TOTAL	\$158,643.03
GRAND TOTAL	\$158,643.03

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Medina.

We, E. Zander, as President, and J. P. Ephraim, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. ZANDER,
President,
J. P. EPHRAIM,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of October, A. D. 1938.
(L. S.) JNO. B. NESTER,
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
M. M. KOCH,
GUS ROTHE,
ERIC ROTHE,
Directors.

Playing their best football to date, they achieved a final score of 44-0. The Cowboys wore their complete football uniforms, including the new purple and gold jerseys. On October 14 they journey to Big Wells for another conference game.

The pep squad, with a few additional members, again supported the team during Friday's game. Between halves the girls gave a drill and cheers for both teams. Their new drum equipment, received this week, will improve their performances in the future. They enjoyed very much attending the Hondo-Del Rio game at Hondo Friday evening, when they occupied seats on the pep-squad grandstand.

Columbus Day Program
At the general assembly of the pupils of D'Hanis High School Wednesday morning, the program, led by Ruth Strawn, was suggestive of Columbus Day. The fifth and sixth grades, coached by Mrs. Albrecht, opened the program with a song, "In 1492". George Moorman gave a reading, and Stella Nester read a paper on the life of Columbus. A playlet depicted Columbus at the court of Ferdinand and Isabella. The concluding number, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean", was sung by the Choral Club, after which Superintendent Couser made several announcements and dismissed the assembly.

WEEK-END SNOOPINGS

Nora Ann Bendele, Dolly Taylor, Shirley Haby, C. C. Dawson, and Jean Warden attended a dance in Castroville Sunday night.

Joyce Oliver, Aleen Grell, and Amanda Haass were in Quihi Sunday.

Roland Gaines, Milton Bohmfalk, Margaret Ann Knopp, Susie Muenink, Clinton Grell, Jo Dawson, Frances Ruth Fly, Betty Jean Merriman, and Miss Alta Fay Horton were in San Antonio Saturday.

Mildred Van Fleet spent Sunday in Austin.

Ruthie Bell Tomerlin was in Knippa Saturday.

He—Yes, the bullet struck my head and went careening into space. She—How terrible! Did they get it out?

Charter No. 14351

Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION Of The Hondo National Bank

Of Hondo, in The State of Texas,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON SEPTEMBER 28, 1938.

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts	\$372,862.92
2. Overdrafts	745.03
3. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	83,500.00
4. Other bonds, stocks and securities	78,259.75
5. Banking house	\$3,861.22
6. Furniture and fixtures	1,557.17
7. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	5,418.39
8. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	115,048.69
9. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	80,309.13
TOTAL ASSETS	\$736,143.91
LIABILITIES	
14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$570,529.79
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	83,886.46
18. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	5,000.00
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$ 83,886.46
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	575,529.79
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$659,416.25
29. Other liabilities	2,080.00
30. Capital account:	
Class A preferred stock, 180 shares, par \$100.00 per share, retireable at \$100.00 per share	\$50,000.00
Common stock, 320 shares, par \$100.00 per share	15,000.00
Surplus	9,647.66
Undivided profits—net	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	74,647.66
TOTAL LIABILITIES	736,143.91

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

31. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	\$ 59,700.00
32. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	15,500.00
TOTAL PLEDGED (excluding rediscounts)	\$ 75,200.00
35. Pledged:	
Against State, county, and municipal deposits	75,200.00
TOTAL PLEDGED	\$ 75,200.00

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA, ss:

I, Chas. Finger, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS. FINGER, Cashier.

SWORN TO and subscribed before me this 13th day of October, 1938.
(L. S.) FRANK X. VANCE, Notary Public

CORRECT—ATTEST:
J. M. FINGER
CLAUDE W. GILLIAM
JOHN MUENNINK
Directors.

Miss Ruth McCoy of Natalia underwent an appendix operation Oct. 12 at Medina Hospital.

Thomas Williams of D'Hanis underwent an appendectomy at Medina Hospital on October 12th.

Ed Haby Jr. of Dunlay entered Medina Hospital on Oct. 8 for several days medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lutz of D'Hanis announce the arrival of a 9-lb. baby boy Oct. 12 at Medina Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Naegelin of Rio Medina are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Oct. 6, at Medina Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Haby of Rio Medina are rejoicing over the birth of a 7-lb. baby girl, Oct. 13, at the Medina Hospital.

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Among those who attended the celebration at Maverick School Sunday were Sheriff and Mrs. C. J. Schuehle, Mr. and Mrs. John Zinsmeyer, Mrs. Nora Bendele, Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass, Mrs. Fletcher Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haegelin and daughter, Mary Louise, Emil Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman, Oscar Bader, and Judge and Mrs. A. H. Rothe, and perhaps others. Several of this number also attended the barbecue for the Anglers' Club, at which Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Seekatz of Medina Lake were hosts.

Among the new arrivals at Medina Hospital this week was the 7-lb. baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mumm of Hondo, who was born Oct. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Schneider of Rio Medina are being congratulated on the birth of a 6-lb. baby girl on Oct. 11, at Medina Hospital.

Jimmie Mangum of Devine is recovering from an appendectomy performed Oct. 12 at Medina Hospital.

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

DORIS TONDRE, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Tondre or mailed direct to her at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Tondre is authorized to collect and receipt for pay business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wernette of Seguin were visiting in the Louisa Hutzler home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourquin and daughter Sunday.

DON'T FORGET THE CARD AND BINGO PARTY ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, IN THE ST. LOUIS PARISH HALL.

August Naegelin of San Antonio spent the week with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Batot and Mrs. Toby Koch of Hondo spent Friday as guests in the Joe Lieber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Tondre and Earl McSwain were San Antonio visitors Friday.

Paul Tondre was a Hondo visitor Tuesday.

Mesdames Winfred Whitehead and Henry Haller were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tschirhart and son were visiting with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Schmitt from Eagle Pass were visiting their parents Sunday.

Mrs. Joe L. Mangold and son, Norval, Mrs. Albert Kempf and Lenora Tondre were Hondo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muennink and Mrs. Lesly Howard and Mrs. Emil Tondre of Hondo were visiting in the Joe Mangold home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suehs and daughter were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jul. Jagge and daughter, Betty Burrell and Gladys Tondre were Hondo business visitors Wednesday.

Sister Mary Anita of St. Louis School underwent an operation last week Monday, and is reported doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Seb. Haass moved into the Mehr residence one day the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Kralik of Round Top were visiting with friends here for a few days.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 16, 1938
9:00 A. M. Sunday school and Bible classes.

10:00 A. M. English service.

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CARL H. SANTLEBEN

Our deceased friend, Mr. Carl Heinrich Santleben, a son of Christian and Minna Santleben, was born on April 1, 1873, at Castroville, Medina County, Texas. Here he spent his happy childhood and school days. He attended the school at Castroville. He was baptized, instructed and confirmed in his dear old Lutheran church of Castroville, being confirmed by Rev. Pfennig. The deceased spent his entire life residing on the same place where he was born.

For the last 15 to 20 years our deceased friend's health was failing and during the last 7 or 8 years of his life, after a major kidney operation, his suffering at times was intense. He was under the doctor's care continually after his operation. Before his sickness he was always a very busy and hard-working man. God had given him a powerful, strong body. During the years of his sickness he spent many a day, week and month with his loving brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Santleben, who were always so ready and willing to assist him in every way possible. About a month ago his dear brother, Mr. Willie Santleben, took him to the M. & S. Hospital in San Antonio where his doctor found it necessary to perform an operation which he underwent Saturday afternoon, Oct. 8, at 2 P. M. From this operation he never fully regained consciousness. He died Sunday, Oct. 9, 1938, at 10:30 A. M. in the M. & S. Hospital. He reached the age of 65 years, 6 months and 8 days.

The deceased leaves to mourn one brother, Mr. Willie Santleben, and one sister, Mrs. Johnnie Bippert. One sister preceded him in death, having died in the year 1900, and was buried in the Castroville cemetery. He also leaves one sister-in-law and one brother-in-law, namely Mrs. Willie Santleben and Mr. Johnnie Bippert. He also leaves 6 nephews and 5 nieces and many, many dear friends and good neighbors. Everyone highly respected and honored him.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 P. M. from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Santleben at LaCoste, and continued at Zion's Lutheran Church of Castroville. He was laid to rest in the Castroville Lutheran cemetery, with his pastor, Rev. A. H. Falkenberg, officiating, assisted by his former pastor, the Rev. W. Kralik of Round Top. May he rest in peace.

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